The Conning Tower

Rus vs. Urbs Again

O some may like the mountains and some may like the shore And some may loathe the city grime and hate the urban roar. And some may like the quiet of the sleepy countryside And some enjoy the meadows where the dandelions hide.

O some, perhaps, may like to leave the trafficking and trade, Lie in the sun or sport with Amaryllis in the shade-O some might like to leave the sultry city in July And do the things I've touched upon, and so, for one, should I.

A year ago to-day, trusting the frequently human race and secure in the thought that war was impossible, we abandoned our position in the Tower and went to Massachusetts for a week. When we returned, the war had been turned on. Things have not been the same since then; and we feel not unculpable. This department therefore, will take no voluntary vacation until peace is declared.

Again an execution, with all the descriptive details. It is terrible, capital punishment, and there seems no crime awful enough to merit such payment; just as there seems no punishment terrible enough to pay for deliberate murders . . . All's wrong with the world.

Speaking of indeterminate sentences, the Wichita, Kan., Beacon's copy desk ought to be compelled to read this at one breath:

Arkansas City, July 23.—The litigation which was started against Rev. Kroelinger, pastor of the Baptist Church here, by Mrs. L. D. Lamb-kin and her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Moon, wherein they asked for a judgkin and her daughter, Mrs. F. B. shoon, wherein they asked for a judgment for damages sustained by reason of talk which is alleged to have been instigated by the pastor, and the consequent church litigation which followed against Mrs. Lambkin and Mrs. Moon to dismiss them from the church, and Rev. Lambkin, Baptist evangelist and husband of from the church, and Nev. Lambkin, paperst evangers; and husband of Mrs. Lambkin, one of the principals of the suit, the former having been accused of bringing civil action in the state courts which would first have been maintained in the church court and the latter with having influenced the former to bring this litigation, climaxed last night at the church trial in the local Baptist Church when the congregation voted favorably on a proposition to dismiss the matter entirely and hold all parties intact within the folds of the church and from further blame and criticism, provided the suit for damages against the paster was likewise

AMERICAN SPORTSMANSHIP; OR THE "HEAT OF BATTLE."

Brooklyn at Kansas City (2 games)

"Corcoran made a decision which aroused the ire of Stovall. He declared two Brooklyn runners safe on what the local manager insisted was a double play. Stovall swung a left to the head. Corcoran shifted inside and worked at the body, and then, spinning his man, connected with the left on the jaw. Stovall was sent to the

"In the second game, Corcoran made what Magee declared was a bad decision on Kauff. After some discussion Magee passed the shorter and uglier word and hooked a right to the head. Corcoran chipped off a left lead and countered prettily with a right to the "It began to look bad for Magee, when Benny Kauff put the

question, 'Is this a private battle?' "'No,' said Corcoran; 'any one can join in it.'

" But Kauff is a ball player, not a fighter, and he, too, came off a bad second best. Then he joined Stovall and Magee in the solitude

The Eastland's ninth assistant stoker, the Probe may show, was alone responsible for the disaster. The company's president and board of directors used to ask him every few minutes whether things were all right, and he kept the guilty knowledge to himself. No sentence should be too terrible to impose upon this perfidious stoker; he should be made to suffer the same dreadful punishment that was measured out to those responsible for the Iroquois and

A MAD, MAD WAG:

Sir: His pajamas were all worn out. I said "They're on their

Ever to the fore in the hastening of coast-to-coast prohibition, we absorb great joy in reprinting, from the Montrose, Pa., Republican, an original poem, read by Mrs. B. M. Jeffers, of Kingsley, at the W. C. T. U. convention. Mrs. Jeffers wrote in part:

My subject is old and so is my story, But I thought we a lesson could glean From the lives of the men that this represents And what the drink habit to a young man means.

In 1914, on the third day of December, John Chimelewski was hung, as you we For killing William McAndrew, and he was the last To die on the scaffold, as the law had been passed That never again within the bounds of this State Should a condemned criminal so meet his fate.

These two youths started out with this end in view That they would find some kind of work they could do. One of them prospered and found work in a city And made a success, doing policeman's duty.

The other made a choice of companions that drank, From which men of culture and high ideals shrank, And on the last day that he had to live He felt his father's example he could not forgive.

For nearly a year Chimelewski had been thinking That his excuse would prevail, for he had been drinking, And really did not know the extent of his crime Till the daze and the stuper had cleared from his mind.

Oh, what a happy people we shall be When all nations from the drink habit are free, And the fathers and sons take up the refrain And National Constitutional Prohibition proclaim.

If we wrote a paragraph spoofing the sport-shirt, we'd have to carry the copy down to the comproom ourself, as most of our assistants affect this style of apparel and the copy might get lost between the Turret and the brevier machine.

The Harris Cup, given to the club by John F. Harris, can only be competed for by the daughters of members under the age of 21 years.-The Times.

Precocity doubles championship?

HE TOLD US SO IN DEE-TRERT.

Sir: Does your athaletic young man know that one John D. Rockafellow, though poeah in oily life, has foah a numbah of yeahs been rekanised as the Erl King?

The desideratum of the columnist is to conduct a column with long lines and still keep out in the o. a.

Any time we want to know more about it, thinks M. C. T., we ought to consult Generals von Mackensen and von Hindenburg.

And How Did She Like It?

Sir: As I started for business this morning the sharer of my joys and newspapers gave me the following admonition: "Be sure to bring The Conning Tower home if there is anything funny in it." R. T. L.

Add long monosyllabics: "Scraunched" and "Schreights."

Fifty-three nations are represented among the workers in the factory that printed our automobile. And yesterday, as we were four-miling along, we thought we detected a slight foreign accent in

The Sperry Magazine, its ads say, is "for the woman who buys." Briefly, then, for the woman. For, to change James Forbes's line, it's the woman who buys-and buys-and buys.

The mosquitoes have begun their summer drive. Routed temporarily by the deadly fumes of citronella yesterday afternoon, they began a furious nibbling early last night. F. P. A.

MISS BOARDMAN TO BE A BRIDE

Bradford Boardman, Her Fiance, Is a Distant Relative.

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Mrs. De Forest Lends Home for Exhibition of Articles Made

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WHITMAN REVIEWS

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and Charles W. Goddard Wins Much Laughter. ORIGINAL IDEA

Play Begins Slowly, but Second Extension of Time Granted in and Third Acts Keep Audience

AMUSINGLY TREATED

"THE LAST LAUGH" CUTS STOCK CLAIM OF MRS. PULITZER AT 39TH STREET

New Farce by Paul Dickey Referee's Report Also Allows Sons to Retain

WIDOW GETS PART

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THOMAS Y. CROWELL DEAD

Head of Publishing House Was Seventy-Nine.

Referee's Report Also Allows Sons to Retain Newspaper Holdings.

WIDOW GETS PART

OF ELECTRIC AWARD

Montclair, N. J., July 29.—Thomas Y. Crowell, head of the T. Y. Crowell Company, publishers, at 426 West Broadway, New York, died to-day at his home, 512 Park Street, Upper Montclair, aged seventy-nine years.

He was born at West Dennis, Cape Cod, Mass. In the early 60's he started a bookbinding business in Boston. In 1276 he founded a publishing business in New York, while continuing the Boston establishment. He combined the two in 1900. A widow and two sons survive him.

JAMES KNOWLES DIES

July 29, in his 80th year. Funeral services Saturday, July 31, at 12:30 o'clock, at 512 Park Street, Upper Montelair, N. J. Kindly omit flowers.

be sent.

LONG-On July 27, Samuel Long, in his 41st year. Funeral services from his late residence. 137 Riverside Drive, Friday, at 1 p. m.

SEYMOUR-Suddenly, at Stockbridge, Mass., July 29, 1915, George Seymour, in his 79th year. Funeral will be held at his late residence Saturday

VAN WYCK-On July 28, 1915, at his residence, 13 West 127th st., Duryea Suydon Van Wyck, in his 62d year. Funeral Saturday morning. Poughkeepsie. Ossining papers please copy

CROWELL Thomas Young, Thursday

GRIFFIN—On July 29, 1915, Christine, widow of William Preston Griffin, U. S. N., and daughter of the late Peter Kean, Esq., of Ursino, Elizabeth, New Jersey, in the eighty-ninth year of her age. Funeral service at Grace Church, Brondway and Tenth Street, Saturday, July 31, at 10 A. M. It is requested that flowers may not be sent.

JACKSON-Suddenly, in Providence, R. I., July 28, Frederick Harvey Jack-son, in his 68th year. Committal ser-vice at Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, Tar-rytown, N. Y., Saturday, July 31, at 12:15.

KNOWLES—Suddenly, on July 29,
James Knowles. Funeral services at
his late residence, 254 Summer av.,
corner Lexington av., Brooklyn, on
Sunday, August 1, at 10 a. m. Relatives, friends and brothers of Palestine Lodge 204, F. and A. M., and
Royal Arcanum, Our Council 252, invited to attend.

WARD.-Edwin Carrington, husband of Marion Matson Ward and son of the late Augustus and Susan Cowles Ward of Farmington, Conn., died at Bay Shore, Wednesday, July 28. 7 u. neral services will be held at his summer home, in Bay Shore, Saturday

CEMETERIES.

THE WOODLAWN CEMETERY, 223d St. By Harlem Train and by Trolley. Lots of small size for sale. Office, 20 East 22d St. N. X.